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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
BOARD OF DENTISTRY

IN THE MATTER OF

YOUNG J. KIM, D.D.S. License No. 22DI 01579000

LICENSED TO PRACTICE DENTISTRY IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

INTERIM CONSENT ORDER

The New Jersey State Board of Dentistry ("Board") reviewed information regarding the dental practice of Young J. Kim, D.D.S. ("Dr. Kim" or "respondent"), and in particular the treatment of patient J.C. between June 2005 through October 2009. On August 10, 2011, respondent appeared with counsel, Lynne Nahmani, Esq., at an investigative inquiry held by the Board. Respondent, in answering the Board's questions, demonstrated a deficiency of knowledge in basic dental concepts and practices, including issues related to taking medical histories, pharmacology, treatment of medically compromised patients, minor oral surgery procedures, and record keeping.

Having reviewed the record created to date, including the testimony of respondent at the investigative inquiry, it appears to the Board that respondent's continued practice is not consistent with the public health, safety, and welfare at this time. Respondent may apply to return to practice following a demonstration of competence to practice and

compliance with the terms of this consent order, including completion of continuing education, testing, and an appearance before the Board. The Board reserves its right to bring any action it deems appropriate based on respondent's conduct now known or hereafter developed. Respondent, without making any admissions and reserving his ability to defend against any action that may be brought, has agreed to the entry of this order. The Board finds the entry of the interim consent order to be adequately protective of the public health, safety, and welfare.

THEREFORE, IT IS ON THIS I DAY OF September, 2011,

HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

- 1. Young J. Kim, D.D.S., agrees to an immediate cessation of the clinical practice of dentistry until further order of the Board. Clinical practice includes, but is not limited to, to diagnosis and treatment planning, clinical contact with patients, and supervision of dental auxiliaries. Dr. Kim shall forward his license to practice and his CDS registration to Jonathan Eisenmenger, Executive Director, State Board of Dentistry, P.O. Box 45005, 124 Halsey Street, Newark, New Jersey 07101, within three days of the entry of this order.
- 2. Respondent may file for renewal of his license in the upcoming renewal cycle, but the license will be forwarded to Jonathan Eisenmenger at address above.
- 3. Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-22(g), prior to his application to return to practice, respondent shall:
 - (a) successfully complete the following 49 hours of remedial continuing education:
 - (i) twenty-one (21) hours in pharmacology, to include review of administering and/or prescribing controlled dangerous substances, prescription legend drugs (including antibiotics), and local anesthesia; and drug interactions;
 - (ii) seven (7) hours in treatment of medically compromised patients;
 - (iii)seven (7) hours in physical/internal medicine;

(iv) seven (7) hours in record keeping to include requirements for adequate diagnosis and treatment planning, and risk management;

(v) seven (7) hours in chair side, minor oral surgery.

These courses must be approved by the Board in writing prior to attendance. The remedial courses are in addition to the continuing education hours required for renewal. Respondent shall provide proof of completion with his application to return to practice.

(b) successfully pass, with a minimum score of 75, the Diagnostic Skills Examination given by the North East Regional Board.

4. After completion of the requirements of paragraph 3, respondent shall appear before the Board or a committee of the Board to discuss his understanding of dental practice and his plans for future practice in this State. The Board reserves the right to impose any restrictions on that practice as may be warranted to protect the public health, safety, and welfare.

5. Failure to comply with any of the terms of this interim consent order may result in immediate disciplinary action.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

Bv:

Herbert B. Dolinsky D.D.S.

Roard President

I have read and understand this

Interim Consent Order and agree to be

bound by its terms. I consent to the entry of this Order.

Young J. Kim, D.D.S.

Date

I consent to the form and entry of

this order.

Lynne N. Nahmani, Esq.